

Provincial Legislative Report

The second session of the 15th Alberta legislative opened in the capital city last week, amid the traditional pomp and splendor of ceremonies dating back to the beging of the British parliamentary system.

Honorable Dr. J. J. Bowlen, lieutenant-governor arrived to open the session as a 15-gun salute boomed across the river valley. While a military band played, he walked through the vaulted main rotunda and into the chamber where he read the Speech from the Throne officially opening the session.

Some 450 invited guests—the men in dark suits and the women in semi-formal gowns—watched the ceremonies from special seats on the floor of the house, and later attended a tea given by Mrs. E. C. Manning and the wives of the cabinet ministers.

As usual, the Throne Speech gave only a vague outline of legislation the government proposes to introduce. But it also confirmed earlier suggestions that the Social Credit administration has decided to devote more attention to the financial plight of the municipalities. The highlight of the speech was the forecast of more aid to towns, cities, villages, municipal districts and countries.

The major step will be the establishment of a proposed corporation which would take over the task of municipal financing. At the outset, according to officials, it would borrow as much as \$30,000,000 on the open market and re-lend it to municipalities.

The government also promised a "comprehensive survey" of provincial municipal financial relations, which could result in new sources of revenue for local governments.

According to plans, the corporation's first job will be to raise the difference between the amount the government can lend to municipalities in the coming year and the amount the municipalities will need to finance their capital programs.

It is expected the legislature will be asked to replenish the municipal revolving fund to the tune of around \$43,000,000 which is about all the government has left in cash on hand to lend out. The proposed corporation will have to raise the remainder of the estimated \$73,000,000 municipalities will want to borrow.

The government-sponsored corporation will guarantee principal and interest of the money it borrows, and thereby gain a saving of one half to three quarters of one per cent in interest rates.

It will have other wide powers to raise money, including the issue of short term bonds for sale to the public.

The government had no sooner announced its intentions to survey provincial municipal fiscal arrangements, than the Liberal members of the house got into the act by letting word leak out that they are considering a motion along the same lines. They are planning a motion asking the government to establish a royal commission to investigate a distribution of responsibilities and revenues between the two levels of government.

The government didn't say how it plans to survey the field, and there has been no indication whether it will favor a royal commission. However, the Throne Speech said the intention is to revamp the existing tax structure and establish a "more satisfactory allocation of responsibilities and sources of revenue".

On the second day of the session the reply to the Throne Speech was moved by J. C. Hillman (SC—Sedgewick) and seconded by Dr. J. D. Ross (SC—Edmonton). Both dealt with the current grain surplus difficulties facing prairie farmers. While they agreed some individual farmers have problems, they saw the surpluses as more of a blessing, saying they may be vitally needed at some future date.

Another piece of legislation of interest to rural municipalities is anticipated during the session. It will give municipal districts taxing powers to raise money for weather modification—rain-making and hail suppression. Hon. A. J. Hooke, minister of (continued on page three)

The Young Peoples' Union of the United Church held a meeting at the home of Mrs. William Attwood with ten members present.

Mrs. George Haugen gave a lesson on prayer after which Margaret Dalmard took charge of the entertainment. A good time was had by all.

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday Feb. 22nd at the home of Mrs. Dalmard.

A number of friends met recently to give a "Baby Shower" to Mrs. Bonnie Willison and son Darwin who were the recipients of many lovely and useful gifts. The shower as well as the delightful lunch which was served, was under the direction of Ione Winters and Amelia Hartley.

Ruth Gibb was the hostess at a farewell party given in honor of Larree Dahl on Saturday afternoon February 11th, when a number of friends sat down at a beautifully Valentine decorated table to enjoy a most delicious luncheon. After lunch the ladies played Rook with Gene Rolfsen winning the prize for high score, and Arla Gibb receiving the consolation prize. Travelling prizes went to Mary Rasmussen and Bertha Stone.

A lovely gift was presented to the guest of honor. The party dismissed with the crowd singing "For She's A Jolly Good Fellow".

Friday Night dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Duncombe were Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruce of Lethbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Duncombe.

A lovely shower was held on Friday February 10th at the home of Maidsa Christian when friends, neighbors and some out of town guests met to honor a recent bride, Mrs. Jan Christian nee Anne Shortt of Lethbridge.

The rooms and tables were beautifully decorated in keeping with the Valentine Motif.

After unwrapping the many gifts and displaying them on a large table the bride graciously thanked all those present. A most delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

Myrtle Jensen entertained a group of friends on Wednesday February 8th in honor of the birthday of her sister LaPriel McNeely.

The girls enjoyed the evening playing Rook. Jeanine Jensen was the winner for high score with Vivian Preston getting the low score.

A very tasty lunch was served by the hostess.

W. I. News

The Raymond Alberta Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting on Friday February 17th at the home of Fannie McBride. A special guest at this meeting was the Provincial President Mrs. Grant Carmine who told of the District Conference to be held in Lethbridge on March 11th and 12th. She also told of a school for the handicapped in Edmonton which takes care of deaf children. Mrs. Carmine had four members read a symposium on Womens Institute work after which Alma Mendenhall played a delightful piano solo and Mrs. Hazel Meldrum sang two beautiful songs, "Trees" and "Smilin' Thro".

Two aprons were auctioned off for \$1.50 and \$1.00. The door prize, a tatted edge handkerchief, which was donated by Lucille Paxman, was won by Mildred Fawns.

The 18 ladies present then enjoyed a delicious lunch which was prepared and served by Fannie McBride and Mrs. E. N. Christensen.

Sunday dinner guests on February 12th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McMullen were their daughter Clarisa O'Brien and Richard of Picture Butte.

Betsy ad Lavonne Shaw of Calgary recently spent a week-end in Raymond at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaw.

A turkey dinner party was held Saturday evening February 11th at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Alma Summerfeldt. After enjoying a most delicious dinner the guests played Rook for the remainder of the evening. Dorothy Dahl won the prize for the high score and Julia Tolstrup won the consolation prize. Out of town guests were Mr and Mrs. Archie Terry of Lethbridge.

Phillipa Meeks entertained a number of friends at a party in her home on Friday February 10th for Kathleen Newman of Ogden, Utah who is visiting here.

A very interesting afternoon was spent playing "Shanghai" with Jolayne Hill winning high score, Vivian King low score and Viola Wing the travelling prize.

The hostess served a very lovely lunch.

Mrs. Agnes Attwood, and Anne Larsen recently motored to Magrath to visit Mrs. Andy Noel who has been a pneumonia patient in the Magrath Hospital. Mrs. Noel is the daughter of Mrs. Attwood.

Ralph Walker recently returned from a business trip to Washington and Utah.

A few friends gathered at the home of Gladys King on the occasion of her birthday Wednesday February 15th. A delightful evening was spent visiting while girls did their fancy work. Gladys was the recipient of some lovely gifts. A delicious lunch was served.

June Fawns has been appointed Coordinator for the 3rd Ward Sunday School to replace Larree Dahl who has worked for some time in that capacity.

Having completed business arrangements and finding a home Karl Dahl returned home to move his family and furniture to Salt Lake City where they will make their home.

After being guests at several parties and gatherings here and in Magrath where the best wishes of the community were extended to them, this family left Raymond on Tuesday Feb. 14th.

Karl will go into business with Bill Evans, son of Mrs. Evans and the late J. W. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Turner entertained a number of their friends on Monday evening February 13th at a Rook party. Various prizes were awarded different players throughout the evening. Mrs. Myrtle Williams won the door prize. Ann served their guests a delicious plate lunch.

Those present were the Reed Litchfields, President and Mrs. J. Golden Snow, the Ralph Meldrums, Douglas Paxmans, Parley Meldrums, Edna Gilchrist, Myrtle Williams, Dorothy Strong and Wilford Meldrum.

Jolayne Dahl who for some time has been at the home of her sister, the Bert Leavitts at Angus, just outside of Toronto, recently returned to Raymond.

Jazelle Ralph was hostess at a farewell party for her sister, Yvonne Dahl, on Monday February 13th when 21 friends gathered for an evening of visiting and playing games.

The honored guest was presented with a beautiful over-night bag from the group. Many good wishes for the future were expressed.

Yvonne and baby son left Tuesday February 14th to join her husband, Monte in Salt Lake City where they will make their home.

The Smorgasborg lunch was under

Members of an old Club revived and met at the home of Opal Wiggill on Saturday February 11th to entertain at a farewell breakfast for Larree Dahl before she leaves Raymond. Old times and events were talked over at the breakfast table and good wishes for the future were extended to Larree. Out of town guest was Ruth Tolstrup of Lethbridge.

Mrs. Ace Attwood of Lucky Strike received word of the death of her father Mr. Joseph Petrumia of Lethbridge who died on Monday, February 13th.

The Book Lovers Score held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Grace Allen on Wednesday Feb. 8th with a good number of members and one guest, Dorothy Dahl, present.

Dot Witbeck very capably gave the book review on "This Is Alberta" by Kenneth Liddell. This book gives a very interesting history of Alberta and reports on men who were instrumental in building up the different cities and towns of our province.

A tasty lunch was served by the hostess.

Ione Winters recently entertained 13 guests at a birthday party for her daughter Marsha who is 8 years old. The guests enjoyed playing games and later watching the Childrens programs on TV.

A lovely lunch featuring Valentine goodies, was served by the hostess.

The 3rd Ward Relief Society recently held their regular work and business which was in charge of the class directors, Vera and Edith Henninger and Leola Meeks with special interest centered on a Valentine party for Hene Phillips who after five years as secretary was released to fill a position in the 3rd Ward Mutual. Velma Tillack replaced Mrs. Phillips as Relief Society Secretary.

A lovely lunch was served to the assembled members.

Forty-six people, members of the Special Interest Class, and the M. I. A. and Jr. Sunday School officers of the Raymond 3rd Ward met at the home of Fanny Walker Sunday night to bid good-bye to Karl and Larree Dahl who are moving to Salt Lake City to make their future home. The evening was spent in community singing and expressions of appreciation for Karl and Larree for their splendid work in the Y. M. M. I. A. and Larree was coordinator of the Jr. Sunday School, and both members of the Special Interest class. Beautiful solos were rendered by Joseph McLean and Evelyn Melchin and lovely piano duets by Emma Dahl and Maybell Anderson.

The book "Cherished Experiences" by President David O. McKay was presented to the guests of honor. The The Sunday School Superintendancy also presented a gift to the honored guests.

Miss Madeline Smith, daughter of Sidney B. Smith who recently filled a L. D. S. Mission to British Samoa and Haiti returned to visit relatives and friends in Raymond and Magrath and a brother Sidney and family in Calgary before going to Edmonton where she anticipates finding work. While there she will visit her brother David.

Mirra Peterson entertained the Milady's Literature Club on Monday Feb. 13th at the home of her father Mr. E. S. Henninger. The members and one guest, Arla Gibb, enjoyed a very pleasant evening when Mrs. Fern Laycock of Lethbridge showed pictures of her recent Missionary travels to the states of Texas and Louisiana. This interesting feature was sponsored by Lisbeth Snow.

A most delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The Child Psychology met recently for their regular monthly meeting at the home of Velma Redd. Mary Stone gave a very interesting lesson. The hostess served a delicious lunch.

Larree Dahl was the guest of honor at a party given by her relatives in Magrath at the home of Mrs. William T. Passey on Friday February 10th. After visiting and a delicious lunch served, Larree was presented with some beautiful gifts.

Slim Crowd Indicates Lack of Interest Of Ratepayers

The same usual lack of interest was shown this year by the rate payers of Raymond as the date of the annual meeting came and went (Feb. 13th) with only a handful of people concerned enough about the operation of the town to attend. There were twenty nine men and two ladies at the meeting.

Dean Rolfsen was chairman and Harry Hall was secretary of the meeting that started right on time. The minutes of last years meeting were read by Warren Jones with Lawrence Duncombe moving the acceptance.

The hospital Report was read by H. Dean Rolfsen and accepted on the motion of Bruce Galbraith with Scott Seoville seconding the motion.

The librarian, Della Woolf, read the Library Report which showed a substantial increase in the number of books available and the number of people using the library. This report was accepted with a vote of thanks on the motion of Max Hamilton with Bill Hague as seconder.

In reporting for the Cemetery Board Mrs. Woolfe stated that there were 28 graves dug during the year and considerable improvement work had been done. The report of the Board, consisting of Mrs. Woolfe, J. D. Hall, Floyd Wilde, Bob Heggie and Vivian King, was accepted with a vote of thanks on the motion of Alma Hancock and Roy Woolley.

Secretary of the town Warren Jones read the Report of the Town that showed that the tax arrears was still a very large problem. Only \$64,861.73 out of a levy of \$108,860.14 was collected during the year of 1955. Total tax arrears amount to \$91,908.15. The Town is in firm financial condition with a surplus of over \$130,000.

In the summary of Town operations for 1955 it was shown that revenues amounting to \$153,278.10 left a surplus of \$23,800.50.

In the Water Works Account a total of \$184,151.15 in assets leaves a surplus of \$100,051.43.

Out standing Town debentures are \$79,500 for Sewer, \$86,735 for Hardsurfacing, \$82,000 for water works.

In his report to the ratepayers Mayor Taylor stated that by comparing financial reports it was learned that the Town of Raymond is operated at less expense than many other towns in a similar categor. He said that an orderly schedule of improvement is under study with improved water supply as one of the most important. A resurvey of the large blocks in Town should be made with a view to developing on a more concentrated area. Hardsurfacing should also be carried out on an improved pattern the Mayor stated.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded all who have helped operate the Town and the various committees on the motion of Heber Allen.

Elaine Dahl was guest of honor at surprise party given by Peggy Ann Snow at the home of her mother, Lisbeth Snow on Friday February 10.

The group of friends enjoyed playing games and seeing travel pictures. Diane Dahl and Peggy presented Elaine with a lovely ring as a going away gift. A pot-luck lunch was enjoyed by the guests.

Margaret Hall was hostess on Thursday February 9th to the factory girls who used to work together, so they could especially visit with Laura Nelson and with Shipley McLean who has worked for sometime in Edmonton. The girls played Rook and enjoyed visiting together.

The hostess served an especially nice lunch.

Shirley Heggie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Heggie, celebrated her 11th birthday when her mother entertained 16 of her friends at a delightful party. The girls played Bingo and everyone was lucky enough to win a prize.

A beautiful birthday cake with candles, centered the table for the delicious lunch which was served by the hostess.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert H. Walker of Calgary visited at the home of Dr.'s mother last week-end.

Indonesian Teachers Turn Students for Canadian Visit



Four Indonesian school teachers in Toronto to study Canadian educational structure and methods have one complaint to make. Many of the Canadians they have met don't know the difference between Indo-China and Indonesia. Chuckling over this confusion, Mohd. Noerman, 41, top left; S. Sumosumarto, 34; M. M. H. Tjahja, 40, lower left, and Abd. Q. Basalamah, 30, the teachers-turned-students, have taken to wearing their black velvet "pejijs" caps, native to Indonesia and Malaya, to help people recognize them. Attached to the Indonesian ministry of religious affairs, educational branch, the four visitors plan to stay in Canada until May, when they will return to their homes in Jakarta.

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BINGO GAMES AND RAFFLES

Here is a statement issued by the Department of the Attorney General in respect of bingo games and church raffles:

Recent police action in connection with the operation of Bingo games has focussed public attention on the Criminal Code as it affects various games of chance, or mixed chance and skill.

The Criminal Code is a federal statute. Part 5 of the code deals specifically with disorderly houses, gaming and betting. The interpretations with embodied in Section 169 define a gaming house as one "in which, directly or indirectly, a fee is charged to or paid by the players for the privilege of playing or participating in a game or using gaming equipment."

This clearly brings Bingo games within the meaning of Section 169 of the Criminal Code of Canada.

However, the same Section does make certain exceptions, in the interests of bona fide social clubs, charitable and religious organizations. In the case of social clubs, no portion of the proceeds of games may be paid to the keeper of the place in which the games are held; and no fee in excess of ten cents an hour or fifty cents a day may be charged for the privilege of playing.

Charitable or religious organizations are permitted to conduct games "occasionally". They may charge a direct fee for the privilege of playing, "if the proceeds from the games are to be used for a charitable or religious object." No limit has been fixed as to the amount to be charged the players or the value of the prizes given.

The responsibility of any Provincial Attorney General is limited to the administration of the Criminal Code and the enforcement of the law. No Provincial official has any authority to amend the Criminal Code. This can be done only by Parliament. It is understood that a house of Commons Committee is currently giving study to various suggested amendments.

It has been implied in certain sections of the press that the Attorney General can put his own interpretation on the law and can actually prohibit bingo games. This is not correct.

The Criminal Code of Canada gives no authority to the Attorney General of Alberta or any other Province, either to prohibit or to permit bingo or any other matters confined to Federal jurisdiction. The interpretation of the law is the function of the Courts.

So long as the games are operated within the exceptions under the provisions of the Criminal Code in respect of gaming, the police may not interfere with or stop these games. Charitable and religious groups wishing to use the proceeds of such games for charitable or religious purposes may conduct them occasionally, i.e. at irregular intervals.

One other important exception is the promotion of raffles at church bazaars. Permission to conduct these must be obtained from civic or municipal authority and the prize offered is limited to \$50 in value.

It should be noted that, while a \$50 limit is designated by the statute in the case of authorized raffles, no such limit is defined in the case of bingo. In consequence, the Provincial authority has no power to order maximum or minimum values in the prizes offered.

A pineapple, if it is green, should be wrapped in paper for 24 hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Orcutt and baby son Niel, of Fairbanks, Alaska are visiting at the home of her aunt Mrs. Laveda Hague and Mr. A. Hague. Mrs. Orcutt is the former Helen Neilson and spent her early life in Raymond.

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Friday night, the Sunday School class of Fanny H. Walker held a party at the church for two of the class members who have moved from the Ward. Ann McLeod who is now living in Cardston, and Elaine Dahl who has now left with her parents to make their home in Salt Lake City. The boys and girls had a real "Swing time" dancing, also enjoyed playing games and eating a delicious lunch of hot rolls, salad, ice cream, cake candy and pop.

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Audrey West was hostess on Tues. February 14th to 12 small guests who came to celebrate a Valentine Birthday Party of Kathy West who was 3 years old that day. The children enjoyed the afternoon playing games. A beautiful birthday cake was included in the delicious lunch which was served by the hostess.

Mrs. I. Kitchen and daughters, Ruth Walker and Jean Smith were in Calgary recently to attend the funeral of Mrs. Kitchen's mother, Mrs. Louin who was 80 years old at the time of her death.

The rubber footwear business of B. F. Goodrich Canada Limited will be suspended as soon as present inventories are sold, it was announced today by Ira G. Needles, president.

The increasing volume of low labor cost imported rubber footwear that is being dumped on Canadian markets was cited by Mr. Needles as the cause for the close out of the 30 year old business. He said that imports of rubber-soled canvas shoes, chiefly made in Hong Kong at coolie wage levels, have drained away more than half of the domestic demand. "Waterproof rubber footwear imports are following the same trend and in the first nine months of 1955 increased 126% over the same period in 1954", said Mr. Needles.

"The unrealistic competition and the failure of the government to stem the flood of imports has caused us to discontinue the marketing of our rubber-soled canvas footwear and our ample stocks are sold. We will continue to market our plastic footwear and will study the possibilities of producing additional plastic items", said Mr. Needles.

He said that repeated submissions had been made to the federal government to use import quotas or some other means to protect the Canadian rubber footwear industry from the cheaply produced footwear. Mr. Needles commented that employment in the industry has dropped from 7,500 to 4,500 and apparently the government considers the Canadian industry expendable.

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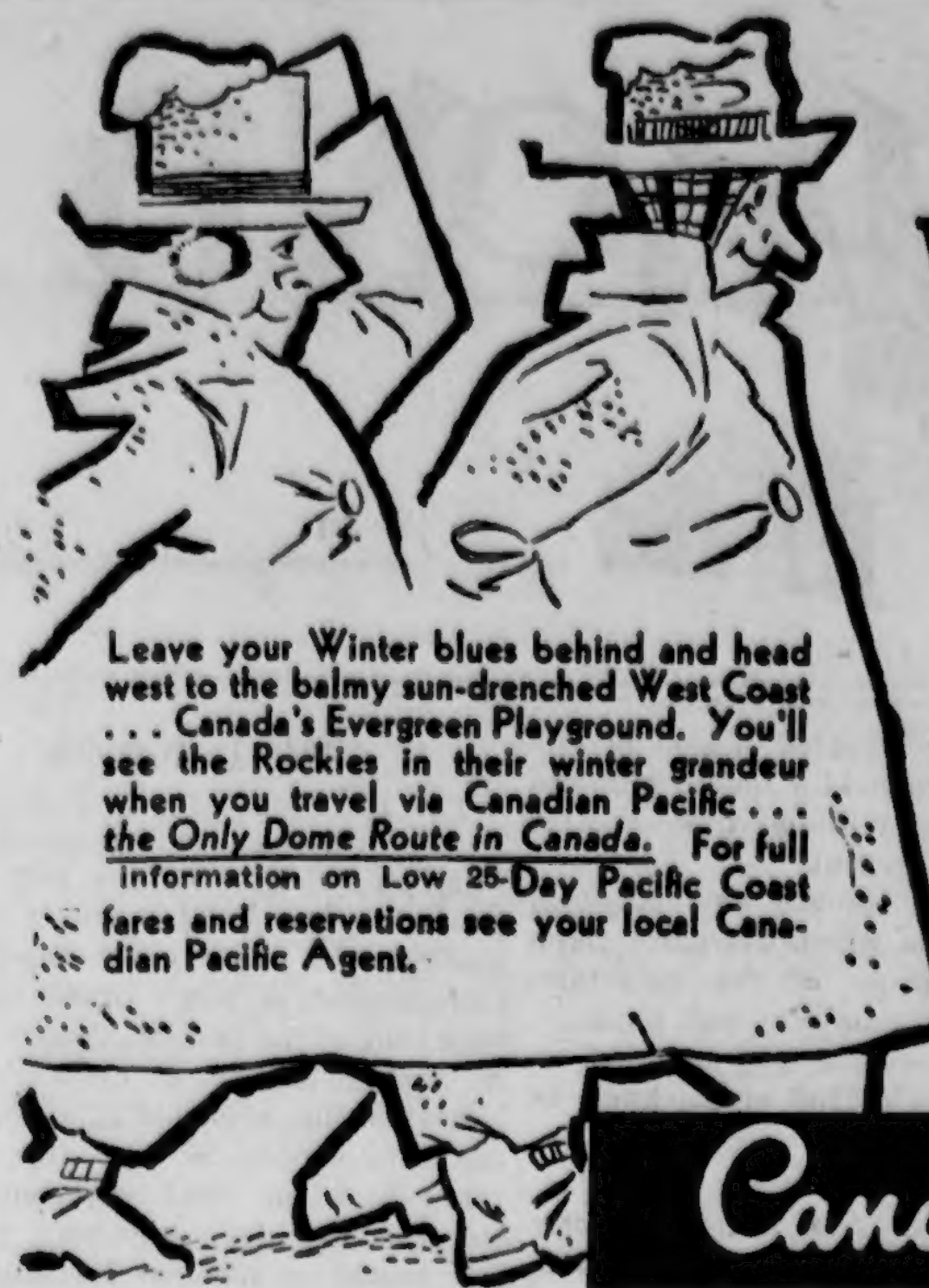
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LEGISLATURE REPORT

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municipal affairs, says the legislation has been requested by MD's and farm groups, and he sees no reason why it shouldn't be granted.

A highlight of the opening day ceremony was the presentation of a new \$3,000 gold and silver mace to the legislature. It was presented by the Civil Service Association of Alta. marking Alberta's 50th anniversary as a province last year. Hon. Peter Dawson (SC—Little Bow) Speaker of the assembly, accepted the mace, which is the legislature's symbol of authority and its link in the crown.

The elaborate new mace, hand engraved by master craftsmen in England, replaces a "temporary" one of wood, metal, and gold paint which had been in use since Alberta became a province in 1905.

The Legislative Building was a riot formed men of the PPCLI formed of color for the opening. Smartly uniformed guard of honor in the flower-banked rotunda, and a red plush carpet led up the main staircase where the governor walked with his aides. The new decorative scheme of rich cathedral tones under the impressive dome was finished the day before the opening.

Caviar, pate de fois and filet mignon, enhanced by vintage wines and rare liqueurs, are sharing favor these days with the traditional roast beef and lamb chops on Canadian Pacific Railway dining cars.

A definite trend towards more exotic dining on the rails is noted by Thos. P. James, manager of the C. P. R.'s Sleeping, Dining, Parlor Car and News Department, particularly since the C. P. R. sent its stainless steel, streamlined, dome-car train "The Canadian" its service nearly a year ago to shave 16 hours from the transcontinental schedule.

"The Canadian" as well as the company's other transcontinental train, "The Dominion", are equipped with new stainless-steel dining cars each seating 48 passengers as compared with former cars seating 36. Luxuriously appointed, and discreetly lighted, they are finished in gleaming plastics of attractive shades and are named for distinguished public rooms of Canadian Pacific hotels from coast to coast.

Whether the new decor and appointments set the mood for more leisurely and discriminating dining is a matter for conjecture. In any case more travellers seem disposed to stray from the routine dietary paths into the area of the experimental, with interesting results.

While a dining car still stocks 300 pounds of chicken and 350 pounds of potatoes for the run from Montreal or Toronto to Vancouver, along with 270 pounds of beef, 125 pounds of lamb chops and 160 pounds of ham, the gleaming stainless steel refrigerators and pantries store a wide range of delicacies.

There are Mapleque Oysters from Prince Edward Island, Lobster from New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, and Crabmeat from British Columbia. Gaspé and some Fraser River Salmon, Lake Superior Whitefish and Trout, Lake Winnipeg Goldeyes and smoked Salmon, Quebec Brome Lake Duckling, Turkeys from Saskatchewan, and the best of Western Canadian Beef, with Filet Mignon and Sirloin Steak the prime favorites. Cheeses are available in great variety, Oka from the Montreal area, nippy Old Canadian Cheddars from Ontario and Quebec English Stilton, Roquefort and Gruyere from abroad. A profusion of fruits from Nova Scotia, Quebec, Ontario and B.C.

Canadians, like Americans, are noted abroad for their general preference for the solid staple foods and dining car patrons still show a taste for the standard breakfast of fruit juice, bacon and eggs and coffee, more of them however are beginning to experiment with a filet of fish, particularly dore. Dore, incidentally, while well known to Quebec travellers or from those from the Western Provinces.

White fish and lake trout, popular luncheon items, are appearing more frequently on the breakfast table.

It is during the dinner hour however that the trend to more varied eating is most evident. In provinces where sale of wines and liquors are permitted the cocktail hour is becoming an institution on the rails as well as in the smart hotels and cafes.

As it is elsewhere, the cocktail period in the scenic dome observation lounge car is one of relaxation and fellowship. Friendships are struck up and frequently a table of four will be composed of a quartet who exchanged introductions only half an hour earlier. All in the mood for a good dinner and the stewards, chefs and waiters are ready and willing to oblige.

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